



# NSSC NEWS ... June 30, 2005

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## The NSSC Team Wants to Wish Everyone A Safe and Happy 4th of July!

### Protest Update

On June 28, 2005 IBM notified the GAO that it was withdrawing its protest of the NASA Shared Services Center (NSSC) procurement. The GAO has formally dismissed the IBM protest.

NASA still has a protest from the QUESTeam (the Agency Proposal Team). The suspension of contract performance with CSC will continue pending resolution of this protest.

**NSSC ViTS ON:**  
July 7, 2005  
3:30pm to 5:00pm EST.

### NSSC ViTS (tentative) Agenda:

- Protest Update
- NSSC Steering Council Charts/NSSC Schedule
- Functional Updates
  - Human Resources
  - Financial Management
  - Procurement
  - Information Technology
- Business & Administration
- Customer Satisfaction & Communication
- Transition Support for NSSC
- Center Updates/Questions

### Change Integration Team Update

The NSSC would like to announce three new Change Integration Team members:

- Willa Gaitanis at GSFC
- Robert Hubbard at KSC
- Elaina Martinez at ARC

### Staffing Update

The NSSC Team would like to wish good luck and farewell to Oliver Solum, Rick Arbutnot's Executive Assistant. Oliver will be returning to KSC to begin a new job as a Training Administrator for 223 Engineers in the Space Station Process Facility. As anyone who has ever traveled to Washington to help out with the NSSC can attest, Oliver has been instrumental in arranging travel orders, scheduling meetings and conference rooms, and helping to maintain order and clarity in all of our busy lives. Goodbye and take care Oliver!

We would also like to welcome Rick's new Executive Secretary, Kathy Slade. Kathy joins us from SSC where she worked in the Program Development Directorate. Welcome aboard, Kathy!

Finally, we'd like to welcome our Corporate Recruitment Intern, Anthony Kent. Anthony recently graduated from Winston-Salem State University in Business Administration with a concentration in Management Information Systems. Welcome aboard, Anthony!

"Change is the law of life and those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future."

— John F. Kennedy

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